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R. I. P.

Father Bachmann is dead and the diocese mourns the death of another of its oldest priests. Revered by his church, he was loved by all who knew him and his name was the synonym of truth, sincerity and trust. We can only say we have never known a more beautiful character than Father Bachmann, whose personal friendship we have known and cherished for many years, and whose kindly interest and words of encouragement long ago endeared him to us. May perpetual light shine upon him.

GIVE PUBLIC FACTS.

Councilman M. J. McDermott struck the proper keynote in offering a resolution asking for a report on the gas question, and which is of vital importance to every household in the city. The public deserves to know whether there will be a repetition of the gas failure of this past week, which caused so much suffering and inconvenience; will there be a supply of artificial gas furnished in case the natural runs out and what rate; were gas pipes laid to ultimately turn same over to the Standard Oil Company and is the election of a gas company official to the directorate of the Standard Oil Company coincident with the latter? All of this should be thrashed out by the Council committee and the public made aware of the entire facts in the case.

WHERE WE STAND.

The severance of diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States does not necessarily mean war, yet is an emphatic and unmistakable declaration that murder and piracy on the high seas are repugnant to the ideals and conscience of the United States and will not be tolerated. That and that alone is the issue between this Government and that of Germany. There is no division of opinion among the people of this country. As one man they will uphold the course of the Administration—a course dictated by honor, by conscience and by humanity. The people of the United States want to believe with President Wilson that the German Government will pay regard to the ancient friendship between the German people and our own, and the nation likewise will be loth to believe otherwise until actual overt acts against the people of the United States have been committed. Whether or not the severance of diplomatic relations leads to armed hostility, the Government has spoken for the people of the United States in vindication of right, honor and national dignity.

SPECIAL SESSION.

Gov. Stanley has called the Kentucky Legislature to meet at Frankfort on Wednesday, February 14, for the sole purpose of considering the subject of revenue and taxation, and it is to be hoped the session will work for the sole purpose of enacting such laws as will meet with the approval of the people and extricate Kentucky from a condition that retards its progress in all directions. With only one question before them, revenue and taxation measures, our legislators should enact laws that will meet our requirements and be lasting, and thus earn their "ten per." Any other course would hurt the State government and should be relegated to oblivion.

DEFINES SCHOOL STATUS.

Rulings of the Kentucky Department of Education and the Attorney General's department in regard to arrangements between local and public schools and church schools have been upheld by the Court of Appeals, which directed an injunction restraining the Powell county Trustees from using any part of Stanton College, a United Presbyterian institution, for school purposes. It came out in the proof that the President of the college secured the teachers for the public school rooms and incidentally that the County Board of Education had a contract to pay tuition to the college for county high school pupils, for which reason patrons of other denominations objected to sending their children to the Presbyterian school. The opinion was rendered by Judge Carroll, who says: "The Constitution contemplates that the separation between common

schools and sectarian or denominational institutions shall be so open, notorious and complete that there will be no room for doubt that the common school is absolutely free from the influence, control and domination of the sectarian institution or school. It is unlawful for the Trustees of a common or graded or educational institution, supported in whole or in part by public funds, to enter into any contract, agreement or arrangement, through or under which such school or educational institution may be brought directly or indirectly under the influence, control or supervision of any denominational or sectarian institution or school."

Attorney General Logan says the State has had great difficulty in preventing sectarian schools from taking over the public schools in communities where such sectarian schools exist, but this does not in any way refer to or involve Catholic schools. The court has made its interpretation of the constitution broad enough to prevent any sort of relationship arising between the common and sectarian schools.

INTEREST TO IRELAND.

The conference of Colonial Premiers, which will take place in London some time before the reassembling of Parliament, promises to be a matter of considerable interest to the people of Ireland. The Colonial Premiers without exception favor home rule, and it is quite possible that they will suggest a full settlement of the Irish question before considering the question of imperial federation. It is hard to see how the coalition Government could ignore such a suggestion. The Tories, who are the power behind the throne and who oppose home rule on principle, will find in the suggestion of the Colonial Premiers a way of saving their face; they can show that they only yielded to the pressure of the overseas empire. It might be remarked that England's enthusiasm for federation at this time is wholly due to the bankrupt condition of her treasury. The debt piled up by this war would be too heavy a load to carry when the work of rebuilding her industries and extending her trade begins, and she is looking to imperial federation as a means of distributing the war debt over the widest possible area; in other words she made the war, but she wants the colonies to pay. It is doubtful, however, if the colonies will take kindly to a scheme that will increase their financial burdens and at the same time curtail their liberties in some important particulars.

VILLA MAKING GAINS.

From the success that Villa and his bandit followers are achieving in overrunning and looting Mexican territory, it would seem that the Carranza Government was not making a very creditable display of efficiency. There is little assurance that the First Chief is in any position to give protection against border raids and outrages, by these lawless marauders.

ANSWER INSINUATIONS.

The German-Americans of this country have answered the vile and nasty insinuations of the pro-English press in regard to hyphenates, etc., by pledging their unswerving support to President Wilson and their adopted country.

The people of this city heartily approve the resolution introduced by Councilman McDermott Tuesday night calling for an investigation of the present condition of the gas supply in Louisville. Let the investigation be thorough and the report be made public. While just to the corporations, Councilman McDermott never overlooks the interests and welfare of the masses.

Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, sent a cable appeal for peace to the German Trade Union head. Why not also to the British Trade Union head? Sam does some queer things. Another defeat might again restore his senses.

Louisville should have the Federal armor plant. The site here has every natural advantage, while the resources are well nigh inexhaustible.

Severing of diplomatic relations with Germany does not necessarily mean war, but unless greatest care is taken we may expect grim results.



MILITARISM DEAF TO PEACE.

COMING EVENTS.

February 12—Lincoln day social for St. Ann's church, at St. Ann's Hall, afternoon and night.

February 12-13—Euchre and lotto, Young Ladies' Sodality of St. John's church, in school hall.

February 16—Euchre and lotto by St. Louis Bertrand Church Debt and Building Fund in Bertrand Hall, afternoon and evening.

February 15—Lotto of St. Aloysius church (Pewee Valley) in Gambrinus Hall, afternoon and night.

February 19—Euchre and lotto, C. K. of A. Social Club, in St. Martin's Hall, evening only.

February 19—Pre-Lenten entertainment by young people of Holy Cross parish.

March 18—Entertainment under auspices of Division 3, A. O. H., in St. Patrick's school hall.

March 18—Entertainment under auspices of Division 4, A. O. H., in Bertrand Hall.

April 9-10-11-12—Feast of Nations by Trinity Council in club house.

April 14—Annual bridge party of Junior Circle of the Queen's Daughters.

SOCIETY.

Col. Matt J. Winn arrived home Saturday from El Paso, Texas.

Miss Irene McCabe left Monday for Chicago to visit Miss Louise Smith.

Mrs. Rose Ansbeck was the weekend guest of Mrs. H. H. Woods in Oakdale.

Miss Aline Clifford was last week the guest of Mrs. D. M. Cooper at Elizabethtown.

John Quinn, of San Francisco, has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Carroll in Jeffersonville.

Tony F. Roselle, the latter, was among the Louisville visitors in New York City the past week.

Miss Josephine Fitzgerald is visiting in Memphis, Tenn., the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Maurice Keane.

Miss Rose Kahoe is ill with a severe attack of grip at her home, 617 East Elm street, New Albany.

Misses Mary and Olive Winn will be hosts on February 20 at a mask ball at their home on Fourth street.

Miss Katherine Coll, East Maple street, Jeffersonville, was last week the hostess for the Camp Fire Girls.

Miss Annie McGhill left on Saturday to spend ten days at Palm Beach, Fla., before going to New York.

Louisville people seen in New York the past week were J. J. Fitzgerald, J. W. Gilman and S. H. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bohne, of Seattle, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Holzheim in Birchwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jennings, who have been located at Commerce, Miss., since fall, are here on a visit to relatives.

Miss Florence Exner has been entertaining as her guest Miss Ruth Fertig, of Stithon, whom she recently visited.

Mrs. William Mackey, who visited her son, John Mackey, in Jeffersonville, has returned to her home in Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Clara Corbett, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Corbett, in New Albany, has returned to St. Louis.

Albert L. Mims and bride have returned from their wedding trip and are at home to their friends at 2317 West Walnut street.

Miss Marcella Coll returned from the Indiana State University last week to spend her midwinter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Coll, in Jeffersonville.

Invitations are being issued for the marriage of Miss Mary Zimmerman, daughter of Joseph Zimmerman, of New Albany, and Edward J. Raverty, which will be solemnized Tuesday, February 20, at St. Mary's church.

Miss Louise Smith, who is visit-

ing in Texas, will arrive soon to spend a few days with Miss Irene McCabe in the Highlands. Miss McCabe will accompany Miss Smith to her home in Chicago for a visit of several weeks.

Miss Margaret Hogan entertained with a theater party at Keith's Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Ethel W. Logan, of Mooresville, Ind., and those in the party being Misses Norine Riley, Mary Bullen, Josie Anderson, Ethel W. Logan and Margaret Hogan.

In the presence of a large gathering of friends Miss Mary A. Endris and Willard L. Cogswell, who are well known in New Albany, were married Wednesday morning with nuptial mass at St. Mary's church, Rev. Father Seibert performing the ceremony.

FOR CATHOLIC MEN.

Catholic men of Louisville are invited by the Knights of Columbus to attend the retreat to be given under their auspices next week at the Cathedral. The retreat will open Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock and will end the following Sunday with solemn benediction, renewal of baptismal vows and conferring of the blessing. Rev. Francis B. Cassidy, the distinguished Jesuit educator, will be the preacher, and the order of exercises will include a special mass Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. The subject of Father Cassidy's discourses will be as follows: Wednesday evening, "Vision of Things Unseen;" Thursday evening, "The Bible an Incomplete Charter of Religion;" Friday night, "The Bible of Christ." There is every reason to expect this to be one of the greatest retreats ever given here. Father Cassidy is a member of one of Louisville's old and well known families.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

The attendance at the meeting of Mackin Council on Monday night was very gratifying to the officers, who reported progress in all the works of the council. Upon all sides there is a growing interest in the coming Lenten retreat under Mackin's auspices for the young men of the city. Active work will soon begin on the spring minstrel show, which it is said will surpass anything Mackin has undertaken. Secretary Will Buckel was elated over the heavy receipts, which will materially help in reducing the indebtedness for improvements to the club house.

MISSION AT ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. Eugene O'Donohue, pastor of St. Paul's church, 1022 South Jackson street, has arranged for a mission to be given at his church by the Passionist fathers from February 25 to March 4 inclusive. Coming in Lent, this should prove one of the great missions of the year. The order of exercises and regulations will be announced later.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

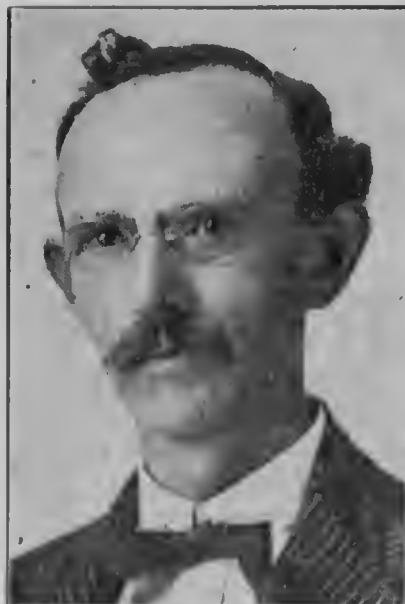
The Convent of the Good Shepherd on Eighth street was the scene of a very solemn and impressive ceremony Thursday morning, when two novices made their profession in the Magdalen order and one postulant received the habit. Right Rev. Bishop O'Donohue was present and presided at the ceremony. Two young women from Grand Rapids, Mich., joined the ranks of the postulants the last week in January.

HOLY CROSS.

An election of officers for the Holy Name Society of Holy Cross church, held last week, resulted as follows: Joseph Decker, President; P. J. Scannell, Vice President; Tony Gerst, Secretary; Barney Campbell, Treasurer; Charles Thoben, Marshal. The pastor, the Rev. Celestino Brey, is Spiritual Director. This society has been a pronounced success and its membership now extends into the hundreds.

PROMOTED.

Upon the recommendation of a board of examining officers, Henry J. Grall, son of Louis Grall, 2536 Griffiths avenue, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal in the United States Marine Corps. Corporal Grall enlisted with the soldiers of the sea in Chicago on August 10, 1915, and was recently advanced. He is now stationed at Norfolk, where he is awaiting orders to go to sea or abroad.



M. B. KENDRICK.

Attorney M. B. Kendrick, of the law firm of Kendrick & Kendrick, has announced himself as a candidate for Magistrate of the Fifth Magisterial district, which is composed of the First, Second and Third wards, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary. Mr. Kendrick has been identified with local Democratic politics for some time and since as far back as the Cleveland campaign has been making speeches for his party's success. He believes a Magistrate's court the court of the common people and that it should have the same judicial protection as the higher courts. Mr. Kendrick has been a practicing attorney for twenty-five years and if elected will bring that knowledge and experience of law to his court.

CARDINAL FALCONIO DYING.

Thursday morning's Associated Press dispatches from Rome brought the sad news that Cardinal Diomedeo Falconio, Prefect of the Congregation of Religious Affairs, and former Apostolic Delegate in the United States, was at the point of death, and that Pope Benedict had sent him his apostolic benediction. Cardinal Falconio was born in 1842. He was appointed Apostolic Delegate at Washington in 1902, and in 1911 received the red hat.

Just before going to press cablegrams announced that Cardinal Falconio had passed away.

FATHER KALAHER IMPROVES.

Catholics and non-Catholics throughout the city and State will be much pleased to know that Rev. John D. Kalaher, pastor of St. Columba's church, is improving slowly at St. Joseph's Infirmary, where he has been a patient for several months.

DOWN WITH GRIP.

Col. Michael O'Sullivan, editor of the Shelby Sentinel and well known in Louisville, was able to be out again Tuesday after a week's illness of the grip at his home in the Shelby county metropolis.

SOON ON DUTY.

James Carroll, Desk Sergeant at police headquarters, has almost recovered from the operation he underwent three weeks ago at St. Joseph's Infirmary for appendicitis, and will soon be able to resume his duties.

ST. COLUMBA'S.

"Brides of Iona," a charming and musical two-act opera, will be presented by the Iona Club next Tuesday and Thursday nights in the school hall, Thirty-fifth and Market, for the benefit of St. Columba's church. The cast includes some high class talent and assures an excellent production. General admission will be only twenty-five cents.

BERTRANDS VS. ST. JOSEPH. Capt. Edward McGrath will lead his victorious Bertrand basketball team to Bardstown next Friday night to play St. Joseph College and the local boy predicts victory now that his star center, "Shonas" Heffernan, has recovered from his injuries and will be back in the game.

LOTTO AND LUNCH.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of St. Joseph's Orphan Home will entertain Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with a lotto and lunch at the orphanage at Crescent Hill. Admission will be only fifteen cents, and those present will enjoy a pleasant afternoon.

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GLORIES OF THE CHURCH.

"To think of the Roman Catholic church is to think of the oldest, the most venerable and the most powerful religious institution existing among men," once wrote the famous writer, William Winter, in the New York Herald. "I am not a churchman of any kind; that possibly is my misfortune; but I am conscious of a profound obligation of gratitude to that wise, august, austere, yet tenderly human ecclesiastical power which, self-centered amid vicissitudes of human affairs and provident of men of learning, imagination and sensibility throughout the world, has preserved the living symbol of celestial aspiration, and in poetry and in music has heard and has transmitted the authentic voice of God."

"I say that I am not a churchman; but I would also say that the best hours of my life have been hours of meditation passed in the glorious Cathedral and among the sublime ecclesiastical ruins of England. I have worshiped in Canterbury and York, in Winchester and Salisbury, in Lincoln and Durham, in Ely and in Wells. I have stood in Tintern when the green grass and the white daisies were waving in the summer wind, and have looked upon those gray and russet walls and upon those lovely arched casements—among the most graceful ever devised by human art—round which the sheeted ivy droops, and through which the winds of heaven sweep a perpetual requiem. "I have seen the shadows of evening slowly gather and softly fall over the gaunt tower, the roofless nave, the giant pillars and the shattered arcades of Fountains Abbey, in its sequestered and melancholy solitude, where ancient Ripon dreams in the spacious and verdant valley of the Skell. I have mused upon Netley, and Kirkstall, and Newstead, and Bolton, and Melrose, and Dryburgh; and at a midnight hour I have stood in the grim and gloomy chancel of St. Columba's Cathedral, remote in the storm-swept Hebrides, and looked upward to the cold stars and heard the voices of the birds of night mingled with the desolate moaning of the sea."

"With awe, with reverence, with many strange and wild thoughts, I have lingered and pondered in those haunted, holy places, but one remembrance was always present—the remembrance that it was the Roman Catholic church that created those forms of beauty, and breathed into them the breath of a divine life, and hallowed them forever; and thus, I have felt the unspeakable pathos of her long exiles from the temples that her passionate devotion prompted and her loving labor reared."

LANSING OBJECTS.

Secretary of State Lansing has sent to Carranza a communication in regard to certain provisions which it has been proposed to include in the new Mexican constitution, and pointed out that the enactment of the same may prove cause for diplomatic exchanges with other countries than the United States. The Washington Post, commenting editorially on this question, says:

"The purblind policy of First Chief Carranza is working effectually for the further demoralization of Mexico. He is ready to discriminate against foreigners, to annul all property rights of foreign persons and corporations and to arrogate to himself the power to expel any foreigner, without recourse, is a blow at Mexico. It is an effect on the reputation of Mexico on the outside world, and it necessarily puts all nations on guard against lending any aid to Mexico while Carranza is at the head of affairs. Carranza's reforms do not specifically repudiate the rights of foreigners, but they would be just as effective as if they did. He would require all persons and corporations holding concessions of lands to apply for new concessions in order to protect the rights already acquired. This would place them all at his mercy, and if they were not ready to do his bidding or comply with his demands, financial and otherwise, their property would be lost. It was high time that the United States should protest against the plan to hold up all foreigners owning property in Mexico. Other nations, it is observed, are already protesting against Carranza's high-handed methods. He is earning the opposition of the very powers that would be disposed to aid him, and hence he is courting his own downfall as well as postponing the day of peace and order in Mexico."

DANISH WEST INDIES.

There are 10,000 Catholics in the Danish West Indies, bought by the United States. The islands may be called the Dewey Islands, after the late Admiral Dewey. The Admiral's widow is a Catholic.

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APPROVED BY CARDINAL.

Cardinal O'Connell has officially approved the Boy Scout movement for Catholic boys throughout the Boston diocese.

INTO THE NAVY.

Three Louisville boys, anxious and ready to serve their country, enlisted Tuesday at the local naval recruiting station. They are Clarence Lawrence Duffy, twenty years old, of 972 South Preston street; Edwin Duane, eighteen years old, of 808 West Jefferson street, and Charles Johnson Eversole, nineteen years old, of 727 Fehr avenue. Their final examination will take place at Cincinnati.

DIY'S ADMIT ALTAR WINE.

Not only the Anti-Saloon League prohibition bill, but also that fostered by the Women's Christian Temperance Union before the Colorado Legislature amply protects the Catholic church on the question of importing altar wine. While the law forbids common carriers to bring it in, a man can go out and bring liquor in himself.

CATHOLICS IN BUSINESS.

The question of whether Catholics should give to Catholics their preference in business dealings would seem at first blush to admit but one answer. Custom has almost made it a law to favor our own, conditions being equal. When a Catholic enters business he very naturally expects that his co-religionists will give him their patronage, and as a general rule we believe they do. This is understood thoroughly by non-Catholics, who do not expect trade which they know is subjected to religious preference.

Having admitted these facts, says the Catholic Advance, we are unable to go as far as some, who appear to think that it is sinful not to trade with Catholics whenever possible. If customers have duties of loyalty toward their fellow-Catholic tradesmen, it must not be forgotten that those who offer their wares for sale have obligations, too. Religion can not blind a housewife's eyes to the dark patches on her apples, or make her forget that a nickel saved is a nickel gained. It is always a treacherous thing to rely solely on religion for patronage. Honesty, courtesy and fidelity to promises count more than "going to the same church."

"Why do priests give their work to a Freemason rather than to a practical Catholic?" asks one indignant subscriber. There may be many reasons. Perhaps the Catholic does not advertise in his own paper, whereas the Freemason, wiser in his generation than the children of light, keeps his name where he knows the priests will see it. Or perhaps some particular Catholic did not give satisfaction when employed by one priest and this fact was known when the time for other work came round.

The Advance has no hesitation in declaring that Catholics (and we include priests) will choose their own whenever they are able to do so. They will even stretch a point or two in favor of a reliable Catholic. But they refuse to be imposed upon, even in the name of religion, and they can not be blamed for this. The general sentiment that "business is business" merits our approval, and it will not be seriously asserted by anyone that our brethren in the faith have a monopoly of the business sense.

INCREASE IN STRENGTH.

Dr. Felix Gaudin, Supreme President of the Catholic Knights of America, reviewing the work of that order for the last half of the year 1916, notes a steady and growing increase in membership. Several new branches have been organized and in many others there were substantial increases, a number having almost doubled their membership. The Ceremonial Commission, authorized by the Supreme Council held in Louisville last May, has completed its work and prepared a ritual that will make initiations hereafter very interesting. This work has the approval of the Supreme Spiritual Director, the Most Rev. James H. Blenk, Archbishop of New Orleans, who has no hesitancy in predicting that it will prove an abundant source of pleasure and edification to the growing membership of our noble order.

HONORS FOR BISHOP.

Sunday afternoon, March 18, at the Poll Theater, the citizens of Washington, D. C., irrespective of creed or nationality, will give a public reception in honor of Mgr. Russell, who has been appointed Bishop of Charleston, S. C.

RETURNS TO CHARGE.

The Rev. D. I. Donohoe, O. P., of Springfield, who spent several weeks at St. Joseph's Infirmary and underwent an operation, was able this week to return to his charge, where a hearty welcome awaited him.

CARD PARTY.

Members of St. John's congregation will give a card party and entertainment in St. John's school hall, Clay and Walnut, on Monday and Tuesday. The proceeds will go to found a building fund. All who attend are assured a pleasant time.

PETITION FOR IRELAND.

Senator Kern, of Indiana, has submitted in Congress a petition from citizens of his State asking the United States to use its friendly intervention and power when peace negotiations are under way to bring about recognition of the independence of Ireland.

SUCCESSFUL MISSION.

The mission given for non-Catholics in New York City by Rev. Fathers Bertrams L. Conway and James M. Gills will close tomorrow in St. Patrick's Cathedral. During the two weeks there have been services at 12:10 noon and 8 p. m., and

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ANNOUNCE INCREASE.

An increase of 25 per cent. in the grazing fees on all national forests will be made for the season of 1917, according to the plan just announced by Secretary Houston. It was originally intended to make the increase 33 1-3 per cent.

CALLING FOR CIBORIA.

With the beginning of the new year the Catholic Church Extension Society had nearly a hundred requisitions for ciboria to take care of, but thanks to the generosity of a number of Catholic people has been able to reduce this number to fifty-eight. Will you not try to help us take care of these remaining fifty-eight requisitions this month? A gift of \$15 would take care of one request, while a gift of \$100 would send six ciboria to a like number of missions and also send a set of altar linens and a set of altar cards to some poor missionary. Donations may be sent to the Catholic Church Extension Society, 750 McCormick building, Chicago, Ill.

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CITY MANAGER PLAN.

Rev. John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., President of Notre Dame, has been delegated to appoint a committee of seven who will make plans for the establishment of the city manager form of government in South Bend, Ind. H. W. Waite, City Manager of Dayton, Ohio, addressed a mass meeting in South Bend at which Father Cavanaugh presided, and explained the possibilities of the commission and city manager scheme of government. Resolutions were drawn at the meeting authorizing Father Cavanaugh to select the committee, which will in turn choose 100 local citizens to aid in the work.

K. OF C. CHARITY BALL.

The Knights of Columbus of New York City will give their annual charity ball at Madison Square Garden next Friday and with a membership of 15,000 a large attendance is assured. There will be competitive drills between the Catholic Cadet Corps from about the city. Out of the proceeds of this ball a free employment bureau is conducted on Lexington avenue and a hospital for consumptives is maintained.

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RECENT DEATHS.

By the death of Thomas Korn, 2013 Lytle street, aged eighty-six, St. Anthony's church loses another of its pioneer members. Surviving him are two sons and one daughter. The funeral was held Monday morning, many old friends accompanying the remains to St. Louis cemetery.

Monday morning the funeral of William G. Schiekl was held from St. Vincent de Paul's church. Deceased was forty-nine years old and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Josephine Schiekl, a son, Ray Schiekl, and two daughters, Misses Josephine and Sue Schiekl, to whom is extended the sympathy of many friends.

Mrs. Mary Strubel, wife of William Strubel, with the Falls City Brewing Company, was called into eternal rest Monday night at the family home, 407 Thirty-eighth street. Besides her husband she leaves several children. Mrs. Strubel was a member of St. Columba's church, where Rev. Father Maloney conducted the funeral services Thursday morning.

After an illness of three months Mrs. Elizabeth Kirchdorfer, beloved wife of Louis E. Kirchdorfer, was released from her suffering Monday afternoon at her home, 1220 Hull street. Besides her husband she leaves one son, Louis Kirchdorfer, Jr. Her funeral was held from St. Aloysius church Wednesday morning, Rev. Father O'Grady being the celebrant of the mass.

James Gannon, the fifteen-year-old son of Mrs. Catherine Gannon, 724 Ohio avenue, Jeffersonville, died Sunday afternoon at the family residence, following a long illness. He was a bright and promising boy until stricken, and for the bereaved mother there is widespread sympathy. His funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. Augustine's church, Rev. Father Halpin officiating at the requiem high mass.

Mrs. Caroline Shively, nineteen years old, wife of Emmet Shively, passed peacefully away Tuesday afternoon at her home, 512 Wayne street, and had been ill since November. The child died while physicians, as a last resort, were trying to pass a silver tube into the throat so that the little sufferer might breathe. The funeral was held Wednesday, with interment in St. Louis cemetery.

The funeral of Edwin S. Arbogast was held Monday morning from St. Mary Magdalen's church, attended by many mourning friends. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arbogast, 833 South Fifth street, and had been ill since November. For the past three years he had been information clerk at the L. & N. depot, where his genial manner made him popular with the general public. Surviving him are two brothers, Rammer and John Arbogast.

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LINCOLN DAY SOCIAL.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Ann's church will entertain with a Lincoln day social next Monday afternoon and evening in the school hall, Seventh and Davies avenue, games and other amusements to be the feature. Take Sixth street car to door of hall.

SUFFERS HEART ATTACK.

Mrs. Frank J. Ryan suffered a severe heart attack last Sunday at her home, 1736 Bolling avenue, and for several days her condition caused her friends the greatest anxiety. Though still very weak she is now able to be up in her room and her attendants feel that she will soon be fully recovered.

EUCIRE AND LOTTO.

The Ladies' Social Club of St. Leo's church, Highland Park, have arranged for the entertainment of a large gathering next Thursday night, when they will give a grand eucire and lotto in St. Leo's Hall. All the women of the parish are taking an active interest and will make it pleasant for those present. Games will be called at 8:15 o'clock. Second street cars stop at the hall.

PASS 50,000 MARK.

The membership of the Archdiocesan Union of the Holy Name Society of New York has passed the 50,000 mark.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Louisville will soon enter the 1,000 class.

Louisville Council initiated seventy-five members the past year.

Initiations held this month add strength to the order in Colorado. Twenty more members have been received into the council at Auburn, N. Y.

There will be a major degree exemplification tomorrow at Akron, Ohio.

The initiation at Sutton, Neb., was a grand success, with visitors from all over the State present.

State Master William Mumm will have charge of the initiation of 150 candidates at Cincinnati on February 25.

The fourth degree exemplification that was to have taken place here next Monday has been indefinitely postponed.

Denis A. McCarthy is to be the chief speaker for the Knights of St. Louis at their Washington birthday celebration.

Dr. Robert Emmet Kane, former Missouri State Deputy, has been blacklisted by England and is subject to arrest if he visits Ireland.

Fifteen thousand members are working to make the charity ball in Madison Square Garden the most successful ever held in New York City.

President Wilson, the Cabinet, the members of Congress, Judges and diplomats have been invited to be present at the Washington birthday exercises at the national capital.

Gov. Goodrich has been invited to preside at the Washington birthday celebration at Indianapolis, when ex-Lieut. Gov. Edward J. McBer-mott, of Louisville, will be the orator.

Military Hall at Gary, Ind., was scarcely big enough for the Knights who assembled Sunday to witness the conferring of the second and third degrees on a class of eighty candidates.

SOCIAL CLUB ACTIVE.

Despite the disagreeable weather Sunday afternoon a very good attendance was on hand and three new members were enrolled at the meeting of the Social Club of the Catholic Knights of America at St. Martin's Hall. The enthusiasm of the members for the eucire and lotto to be given February 19 showed itself when many members pledged themselves to get anywhere from five to ten prizes besides assisting otherwise in helping to make this event the most successful of its kind in Louisville. P. P. Buchheit, George Glass, Jr., B. Schulten and A. H. Deinst were appointed a committee to submit rules for the club, as the membership is growing so large. The initiation will take place in the near future and everyone is eagerly looking forward to it. After the meeting the members adjourned to the home of Mr. Deinst, where after having a delightful time ice cream and cake were served. The next meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Hotel Henry Watterson at 2:15 o'clock.

CLOSING EUCIRE.

The closing eucire and lotto of the winter season will be given under the auspices of the old St. Louis Church Debt and Building Fund next Friday evening in Bertrand Hall, Sixth street, near Oak. The Committee of Arrangements are expecting the highest crowd of the season and to that end are planning to have an exceptionally large number of prizes. Games will be called at 2:30 and 8:30 sharp.

SMALL FIRE SCARE.

Sisters and students of Holy Rosary Academy, 1327 Fourth avenue, were given a scare Tuesday afternoon, when fire resulting from an overheated furnace was discovered in the flooring of the supply room on the first floor. The blaze was quickly extinguished, the damage being small. There was no interference with the sessions of the school.

ST. CECILIA'S.

Rev. Father Robert Craney, the zealous pastor of St. Cecilia's church, who last week was reported ill, is hale and hearty and with the help of his assistant priest, Rev. Father Fallon, finds no trouble in attending his many duties as spiritual head of his large parish.

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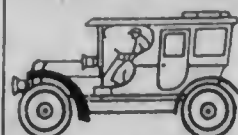
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